



General Assembly

## ***Amendment***

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**LCO No. 9951**



Offered by:

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To: Senate Bill No. 4

File No. 208

Cal. No. 126

### ***"AN ACT CONCERNING THE ACCESSIBILITY OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."***

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the  
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. Subsection (d) of section 17a-688 of the general statutes  
4 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*  
5 *1, 2019*):

6 (d) If the person seeking treatment or rehabilitation for alcohol  
7 dependence or drug dependence is a minor, the fact that the minor  
8 sought such treatment or rehabilitation or that the minor is receiving  
9 such treatment or rehabilitation, shall [not] be reported or disclosed to  
10 the parents or legal guardian of the minor [without the minor's  
11 consent] unless a licensed health care practitioner determines such  
12 disclosure or report would place the minor's life in jeopardy. The  
13 minor may give legal consent to receipt of such treatment and

14 rehabilitation but shall be required to provide the names and contact  
15 information for parents or a legal guardian and informed that such  
16 parents or legal guardian will be notified before treatment commences  
17 or continues unless a licensed health care practitioner determines  
18 immediate treatment is necessary to save the minor's life. A minor  
19 shall be personally liable for all costs and expenses for alcohol and  
20 drug dependency treatment afforded to the minor at the minor's  
21 request under section 17a-682."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

"Section	<i>July 1, 2019</i>	17a-688(d)
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